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Senior dies in house fire

North-end woman heard neighbour cry for help before firefighters arrived

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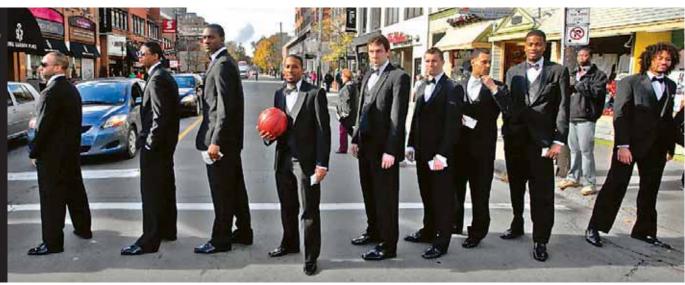






Music First

Members of the Halifax Rainmen stop traffic on Spring Garden Road at noon on Thursday all dressed in tuxedos to pose for photos. The team also gave away tickets for this Sunday's pre-season opener at the Metro Centre. Story, page 42. JEFF HARPER/METRO



New Nova Centre plan unveiled

Public meeting.

Closure of Grafton Street, modern look main issues

About 150 people attended a public meeting Thursday night as developer Joe Ramia and designers presented a new plan for the Nova Centre that came about after public consultation last fall.

"The project was completely scrapped from where we were. It's brand new," Ramia said.

He said after hearing concerns from the nearby Marriott Hotel, the designers moved the luxury hotel to the corner of Prince and Grafton streets, positioned both financial towers (16 and 15 storeys) above Argyle, and moved the parking entrance on Grafton.

Architect Jamie Wright said the public wanted light and colour, so they included more glass, windows and blue panels outside as well as brick columns and a water feature on Sackville Street.

A sticking point for many was the idea of closing off a street to create a square for concerts, markets or other events because it would be an exception to the municipal strategy.

"I think it's a flaw in the design," said Gary Hurst, head of the Grafton-Connor Group who own multiple restau-

Hurst said it will be difficult to navigate without the Grafton access, and his businesses have already experienced "significant down-

Resident Graham Wells said he values Halifax's heritage, but doesn't think the city should "paralyze" economic development to ensure nothing rises above six storeys.

"We're taking a risk in terms of the convention centre ... but we need some kind of catalyst that will push the city forward," said Wells.

The new design still needs the approval of Halifax regional council.

The centre is tentatively scheduled to be completed in 2016. HALEY RYAN/METRO



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National franchise promises Works gourmet burger joint will return

The national franchise behind one of HRM's gournet burger joints is promising to re-open the restaurant after the local owners shut it down.

The Works Gourmet Burger Bistro closed abruptly on Wednesday, and owner Alan Garner laid the blame squarely on the franchise's head office.

"We thank you #halifax for the #burgerlove," tweeted @TheWorksHalifax. "No support from (head office) in ON is the reason we closed our doors."

A handwritten note posted on the door to the Doyle Street location states, "The staff, management and owners of this Works franchise send their love. Unfortunately, the Works head office in Oakville, Ontario does not send you the same."

A press release from the Works head office states the closing came as a surprise.

"The decision to close was not ours and we want our guests to know that it's our intention to reopen for business as soon as possible with our great local Halifax team," states president Andy O'Brien in the release.

The Halifax location had been open for just over eight months. The release states it had reached "respectable" sales figures and a loyal customer base.

It was one of several gournet burger joints that opened in quick succession, including CheeseCurds, Ace Burger Co., Flipburger and Relish. METRO



'I just don't want to see it wrecked'

Crime. Bedford man in wheelchair has dune buggy stolen

Ricky Hillier says he will never forget the Christmas his older brother gave him a dune buggy, but is now asking the public for help after it was stolen from his Bedford driveway.

Hillier, 21, has used a wheelchair since he was born and altered the hand controls on the dune buggy himself so he could drive it along the beach in the summertime.

"I don't know why somebody would want it," Hillier said Thursday afternoon.

Around 7 a.m. Wednesday, Hillier said he looked out of the window of his apartment at 357 Larry Uteck Blvd. and noticed the dune buggy and its trailer were missing. He said the only things left were the wheel stoppers

stoppers.
"I was not happy," Hillier said. "It was just something un-

expected."

Const. Pierre Bourdages, spokesperson for Halifax Regional Police, said they believe the buggy was stolen between midnight and 2 a.m. Wednesday.

"It was a locked trailer, so someone obviously used a vehicle to tow it away," Bourdages said.

Hillier said it was a "really nice surprise" when he got the buggy for Christmas three years ago.

"My older brother bought

it for me. I'll never forget (that) day," Hillier said. "I just don't want to see it wrecked and ruined."

Police are asking for anyone who might have noticed something suspicious in the area to come forward.

"It touches people a little more because the individual owning it has limited mobility ... and that's his recreational vehicle," Bourdages said. "We do hope ... the person who took it will do the right thing and return it." HALEY RYAN/METRO



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Elderly man dies in hospital after fire

North end. 92-yearold victim well liked in neighbourhood



An elderly man pulled from his burning north-end Halifax home on Thursday has died in hospital.

The victim's neighbour, Corrine Smith, called 911 when she saw smoke coming out of the windows of the house at 3631 Acadia St. around 3 p.m.

The 92-year-old man, Smith said, often walked up and down the street a few times a day. She said she heard him yelling for help "for a short time" before the firefighters arrived.

"He's just a nice, healthy old man that never hurt anybody," Smith said, wiping a tear from her eye, as she worried for his well-being.

Roy Hollett, deputy fire

Investigation

An investigation into the cause of the fire is continuing.

chief, said crews were on scene within a few minutes and began fighting a fire on the first floor. He said they found the man lying on a bed in a room on the second floor, and no one else was in the house.

"He was unconscious when we pulled him out,"

Hollett said.

There was heavy damage to the first floor and smoke damage to the second, he added.

The man was taken to hospital in an ambulance, and around 9:30 p.m. Halifax Regional Police issued a release saying that he had died.

Police say the cause of the man's death remains undetermined pending the completion of an autopsy.

The victim's name isn't being released pending notification of his next of kin.

MacIntosh sex-abuse case. Findings to be released

Justice Minister Peter MacKay will announce the findings Friday of an internal federal government review into the case of Ernest Fenwick Mac-Intosh.

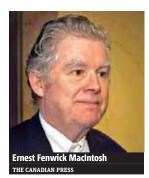
MacKay ordered the review last month, saying the sexual abuse case has concerned him for years.

Earlier this year, the Supreme Court of Canada upheld a lower court ruling that threw out 17 sexual abuse convictions against MacIntosh because the case took too long to get to trial.

The review was launched to examine the process to extradite MacIntosh and the issues surrounding his passport and border control.

MacIntosh was in India working as a consultant when the sex abuse allegations first surfaced in Nova Scotia in 1995.

But he wasn't extradited to Canada until 2007 and his



first trial didn't start until

MacIntosh's passport was renewed in 1997 and in 2002, despite the fact he faced outstanding charges and a warrant had been issued for his arrest.

Passport Canada said in July that it has revised its policies as a result of the case.

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Cole Harbour

Youth riding bicycle found with loaded rifle

A 16-year-old boy is facing weapons charges after police arrested a youth who was allegedly in possession of a loaded firearm while riding his bicycle in Cole Harbour on Wednesday night.

Police say the teen was driving his bicycle near

Poplar Drive and Cole Harbour Road around 11:30 p.m.

Officers say the youth was also dressed in all black with a hood pulled over his head. When officers tried to stop the youth, he first refused, but later did so on nearby Otago Drive.

RCMP say they then found a loaded sawed-off rifle under the youth's sweater, plus ammunition, a balaclava mask and a small amount of drugs.

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George Street RBC

Man arrested in connection with break-in at downtown bank

Halifax police say a man is in custody in connection with a recent break-in at a downtown bank.

On Oct. 17 around 1:45 a.m., officers responded to the George Street RBC, where the glass partition separating the ATM and the bank had been broken. Surveillance video showed a man breaking the glass, entering the bank and leaving the same way. Police released images of the man to the public on Wednesday in hopes of identifying him.

A release from Halifax Regional Police states a man turned himself into the Waycobah RCMP detachment in connection with the bank break-in.

He was scheduled to be transported to Halifax Thursday.

The release states the 26-year-old is expected to face charges of break and enter. METRO

Woman gave homeless man hot chocolate hours before he died



Berwick. Local police still ruling death of Harley Lawrence as suspicious following Wednesday night bus-shelter fire

The first time Jennifer Gaudet saw Harley Lawrence, widely known as Berwick's homeless man, may be the last time anyone saw him alive.

The 62-year-old man died in an overnight fire on Wednesday in a downtown bus shelter. Lawrence had been living on Berwick streets since the spring.

Gaudet was in Berwick for a hockey game on Tuesday evening. When she dropped into the local Tim Hortons about 10 p.m., she saw a man huddled on the sidewalk between the coffee shop and the bank.

"I had heard about Berwick's homeless man very re-

Tragic loss

"It is so terribly sad. I can still see his face looking up at me."

Jennifer Gaudet Speaking about the death

cently and wondered, 'Is that him?'"

After confirming with Tim Hortons staff that Lawrence was living on the streets, she purchased him a hot chocolate

"I just had this overwhelming feeling that I should do this for him. But when I came out, he was gone," said Gaudet

She saw Lawrence heading north on Commercial Street in the rain and followed him to the Kings Transit shelter, where he was settling in for the night and laying down on a cardboard mat upon her arrival.

"I offered him the hot

chocolate, he asked what was in it, then accepted it with thanks."

Gaudet said she wasn't afraid and didn't feel threatened in any way despite the fact the night was dark and no one else was out on the street at the time. When she left Lawrence, it was 10:15 p.m. Little more than eight hours later, she learned of the fire and death in Berwick and of the community's belief that Lawrence was the victim.

"It was such a gut-wrenching feeling to think I may have been the last person to talk to him or offer him a kindness."

Gaudet immediately contacted RCMP and was interviewed by them at 11 a.m. that morning. She recounted her previous night's interaction with Lawrence to members of the Valley's major crime unit.

"I told them I didn't see him smoking," she said. KENTVILLE REGISTER

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Said to be a money pit

Student union at NSCAD looking to keep gallery open

The student union at the Nova Scotia College of Art and Design is calling on the university board to reverse a decision to close Seeds Gallery.

The NSCAD student union says the college board

voted Sept. 28 to close down the not-for-profit gallery. The student union claims this was done without any input from students or alumni.

The gallery has been open since 2007.

The union is calling on the board to hold a town hall meeting so all interested parties can meet and discuss the gallery's future.

The gallery closes at the end of March 2014.

"It is unacceptable that there has been no discussion with the community about its fate," said Sarah Trower, the school's student union president, in a statement.

Marilyn Smulders, an NSCAD spokesperson, said Thursday the gallery is closing because it was losing money and it "is not central to our core mandate of providing studio-based education."

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Joyrider on the lam

Home, motorbike damaged in crash involving stolen truck in Fairview

Police are looking for a joyrider who crashed a stolen truck into a home in Fairview.

At 8:37 p.m. Wednesday, officers responded to a traffic accident near 21 Main Ave. According to a release from

Halifax Regional Police, it appeared a truck had hit a concrete barrier in a parking lot and then took off towards Evans Avenue.

The responding officers headed in the same direction and found a Ford F150 truck that had been driven into a home at 17 Evans Ave.

The crash caused "minor structural damage" to the home and damaged a motorcycle parked outside. No one was hurt. METRO

Two-year sentence

Sydney man pleads guilty to drug trafficking

Kenneth Malcolm Phillips, 37, has been sentenced to federal prison after pleading guilty to drug trafficking and participating in a disturbance at the Cape Breton Correctional Centre. CAPE BRETON POST

Atlantic hurricane predictions fall flat

Hot air. Only two storms so far with one month to go

Despite dire predictions to the contrary, the 2013 hurricane season is turning out to be a dud

With a little over a month left in the North Atlantic hurricane season, it's now clear that the long-range U.S. forecasts issued in the spring — all calling for a high level of storm activity — weren't even close.

In May, the U.S. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration predicted unusually warm ocean temper-

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The last time a season passed without a major hurricane.

atures would spawn between seven and 11 hurricanes, and that three to six could become major hurricanes churning out winds in excess of 178 kilometres an hour.

So far this year, there have been only two hurricanes — Ingrid and Humberto in early September — both of which were relatively weak storms, rated at Category 1 on a scale of 5. THE CANADIAN PRESS



It's a gourd thing these pumpkins aren't too big

Nova Scotia College of Art and Design student Garrett Gilbart carves a small gourd as well as other pumpkin alternatives at the port campus on Thursday. The event was organized by The Weather Network to illustrate the fact the wet spring of this year means there are fewer larger pumpkins than normal. IFFE MARPER METRO



Paris completes adult diversion program

Charges withdrawn. Ex-MLA to have no criminal record

A Nova Scotia judge has accepted that former provincial cabinet minister Percy Paris has completed an adult diversion program, which means the charges laid against him in May after he assaulted another

politician have been with-drawn.

Paris was charged with assault and uttering threats after an incident involving Liberal member Keith Colwell. The 66-year-old Paris resigned as minister of economic and rural development shortly after, saying he lost his composure during the incident outside a washroom at the legislature.

Paris remained the NDP

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member for Waverley-Fall River-Beaverbank until he was defeated in the Oct. 8 general election. His replacement, Liberal Bill Horne, was sworn in Thursday.

The adult diversion program is intended as an alternative to the court process for minor criminal offences where the offender must accept responsibility for his or her actions and the victim avoids the

stress of legal proceedings. The program, in operation in Nova Scotia since 1996, is common for those without a criminal record who are facing charges related to non-violent crimes.

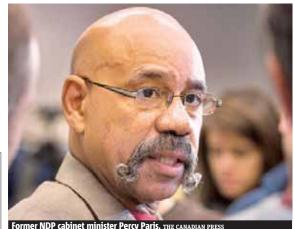
Corrections officials had the option of requesting counselling, a formal apology, community service, a mediation hearing or financial compensation, among other measures.

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Kevin Murphy. First paraplegic elected to serve as Speaker in Nova Scotia

Kevin Murphy made history Thursday when he became the first paraplegic to serve as the Speaker of the Nova Scotia legislature, an accomplishment he says sends a message that people can overcome physical disabilities to achieve anything. Murphy, who became paralyzed after suffering an injury in a hockey game at the age of 14, was elected to the role two weeks after winning his riding of Eastern Shore in the provincial election.

"It really shows that people, regardless of their level of physical disability, can do anything at all," he said outside the legislative chambers after he was elected. The 43-yearold, who was an entrepreneur before running for the Liberals, described himself as a typical "all-Canadian kid" whose early life centred around hockey. He said that changed when he slipped and fell during a game in March 1985, cracking the fifth vertebrae in his neck. He was instantly paralyzed.

Others sworn in

- Earlier Thursday, all 51 members of the legislature were sworn in.
- They include 28 newly elected members, 23 of whom are Liberals and the other five Progressive Conservatives.
- The Liberals won a majority government capturing 33 seats, while the Tories won 11 and the NDP took seven.



since his accident. "The values were instilled in me that anything is possible," he said. "I'm just the same as everybody else. I just happen to use a wheelchair." Moments after he was confirmed Speaker, Murphy thanked the members of the house in an impromptu speech.

"We'll work together and we'll keep an air of decorum here and a spirit of co-oper-

Murphy credited his parents

for how he has approached life

heart," he said to applause.
Premier Stephen McNeil,
who nominated Murphy to be
Speaker, said he was impressed
by how he worked across party
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"His impromptu speech at the end I think sums it up and should show Nova Scotians why I have so much confidence in Kevin," said McNeil.

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Common Values offers space for entrepreneurs to sell their products



A new store near the Halifax Common offers not only a mix of household supplies and handcrafted goods — it offers opportunity to budding entrepreneurs and real-world job training to its employees.

Common Values, operated by Affirmative Ventures, opened its doors at the corner of Agricola and Cunard streets Thursday.

The former dollar store now rents out shelf space to would-be small-business people who have a product but limited startup capital.

"They can test out their product, see if their product works, does the pricing work," said Affirmative Ventures director of planning and development Mike Little. "They'll get



feedback from customers, from everybody that works here, and then they're able to retool their product."

Affirmative Ventures works with organizations such as Entrepreneurs with Disabilities and Immigration Settlement and Immigration Services to help entrepreneurs who face barriers to launching a

So far, 15 people are selling products in the store everything from art to tartan hula hoops. "I didn't think hula hoops would sell at all ... in the first week, she sold 10,"

Affirmative Ventures aims to build more housing

The director of planning and development for Affirmative Ventures said the organization is hoping to build a new affordable-housing development in Dartmouth.

Mike Little said Thursday the organization, which operates a 10-unit building on Lakecrest Drive, is planning a new building on Main Street.

'We're really happy that HRM council has worked with Affirmative Ventures in moving this planning piece forward," he said. "Now comes the part of creating partnerships, of looking at development plans.

The original Affirmative House offers housing to mental-health clients working toward employment or education. metro

said Little. "Her biggest problem now is keeping up with demand."

The store is staffed by Affirmative Ventures clients working to develop job skills that will prepare them for employment in the community.

Supported work co-ordinator Lori Edgar said it sounds simple, but the skills can be difficult to master for someone who's never had to.

"Getting up every day, being

on time, doing what you have to do, day in and day out ... if you're not used to working, you have to build up your stamina even to get here," she said.

Affirmative Ventures operates two stores in Dartmouth, and Edgar said the new location will increase the number of people the organization can reach. "Being in Halifax, which we love, it heightens the profile of the work we do,'



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Sex-assault claim. Sask. woman who felt ignored by police turns to YouTube

A Saskatoon woman has turned to YouTube to have her voice heard after she says her allegations of sexual assault were dismissed by police.

In a video uploaded to You-Tube on Tuesday, 29-year-old Rebecca Campbell levels the accusations against her co-workers at a local restaurant.

Campbell alleges the ordeal began 10 years ago after an acquaintance took advantage of her. "We had been at a party together and at the time I was actually homeless," Campbell told Metro. "He had offered to let me crash on his couch for a couple days, so I left the party

with him and he attacked me and raped me."

Although she said she originally went to the police, she feels she was dismissed.

A spokesperson for the Saskatoon Police Service, Alyson Edwards, said upon seeing the video, an officer from the sex-crimes division contacted Campbell.

"We wanted to reach out to her right away so we could resolve any issues or concerns that she has and we wanted her to know that we do take her complaint very seriously," said Edwards.

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Senate

Reform plan ruled unconstitutional

The Harper government's most recent attempt at Senate reform has been declared unconstitutional in a stinging court ruling rendered Thursday.

The Quebec Court of Appeal has released an opinion that the federal government had no right to create Senate elections and set term limits without seeking provincial approval.

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Ongoing scandal shows deep rifts in Tory ranks

Getting nasty.

Debate continues to rage over bid to oust disgraced senators Duffy, Wallin and Brazeau and now it's personal

The Harper government's bid for summary execution of senators Mike Duffy, Pamela Wallin and Patrick Brazeau has turned into an agonizingly slow soap opera that is exposing a nasty — and increasingly personal — family feud within the Conservative caucus.

Debate over government motions to suspend, without pay, the three erstwhile Conservatives continued to rage in the Senate for the third straight day — with no end in sight.

Thursday's debate saw

Marjory LeBreton, former government leader in the Senate, fire back at Duffy for alleging she was part of a "monstrous" conspiracy to intimidate him into accepting a secret deal to pay back ineligible expenses or face being disqualified from sitting in the Senate.

She variously described Duffy's claims as "utterly preposterous," "blatant falsehood" and "stretching credulity."

And, although LeBreton didn't directly question Prime Minister Stephen Harper's judgment in appointing Duffy to the upper chamber, she revealed that she was never a fan of the former broadcast journalist, who hosted a daily show on federal politics until his elevation to the Senate in 2009.

"I sometimes found myself ... frustrated by his style of journalism, trading as he



did, more often than not, on gossip and the latest hot rumour," LeBreton told the upper chamber.

"And sometimes I was so disgusted that I felt like putting my foot through the television set." When anyone complained, Duffy would say, "It's showbiz," LeBreton said, implying that Duffy has taken the same approach to justifying his role in the Senate expenses scandal.

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Barneys accused of racial profiling

Customer relations.

Two black shoppers say they were stopped by police after making luxury purchases

Barneys department store says it has retained a civil rights expert to lead a review of its policies and has reached out to New York community leaders to start a dialogue after it was accused of racially profiling shoppers.

Two black customers say they were questioned by police after they made purchases at the store. One of them has filed a discrimination lawsuit against Barneys, the city and its police department; the other

has filed a complaint with the city's police watchdog.

According to a lawsuit filed Monday, 19-year-old Trayon Christian purchased a \$350 Ferragamo belt and was accosted by undercover officers after leaving. The lawsuit said he showed identification, the receipt and debit card to the officers, but he was told the ID was false and "that he could

not afford to make such an expensive purchase." He was allegedly held in a precinct cell for more than two hours before being released with no charges filed. It said the incident was due to "discrimination based on plaintiff's race and age as he was a young black American male."

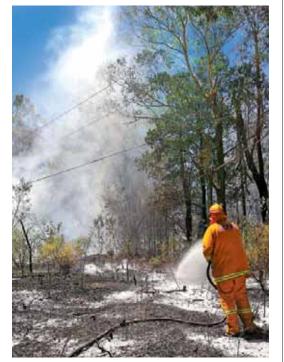
A second shopper, Kayla Phillips, 21, told the media Wednesday that she was surrounded by police after purchasing a \$2,500 Celine handbag. They demanded to know why she used a debit card without a name on it, she said. Phillips explained it was a temporary card. After showing ID and a new card that had arrived in the mail, they let her go. She also intends to sue police. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

In defence

"Barneys New York has zero tolerance for any form of discrimination and we stand by our long history in support of all human rights."

Barneys New York in a statement





Aussie wildfire claims life

A firefighter sprays foam on smouldering bush in Australia Thursday. A pilot trying to fight one of several raging Australian wildfires died when his plane crashed — the second fatality resulting from the fires over the past week. ROB GRIFFITH/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Nature

Chatty Pacific killer whales go quiet: Scientists

Vancouver Aquarium researchers are puzzled by changes seen in killer whale pods that live off British Columbia and Alaska.

Dr. Lance Barrett-Lennard says the resident pods have lost seven older females over the past two years, and he's noticed a lack of vocalizations from the normally chatty mammals.

Whales use sound to find each other, to locate prey and just to communicate, he said. The whales appear to be foraging actively and behaving normally in other ways.

The aquarium's cetacean research team says the whales were also seen the past two summers travelling in small groups, further offshore to find food — behaviour more typical in winter.

At the same time, Barrett-Lennard said the number of the rarer Bigg's killer whales has been increasing over the past 25 years, and the two species that used to avoid one another are now spotted in almost equal measure.

Barrett-Lennard said the changes are not alarming, but do need further study.

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Abduction case sends aftershock

Roma. Negative reporting on minorities has re-emerged via recent cases: Council of Europe's Commissioner for Human Rights

A Roma woman in Bulgaria has undergone DNA testing and faces preliminary charges of child selling as authorities investigate if she is the mother of a young girl found living with an unrelated couple in Greece, authorities said Thursday.

Though the tests have yet to prove Sasha Ruseva, 35, is the biological mother of the girl known as "Maria," the woman's admission that she once left a baby behind in Greece opened her up to a formal investigation.

Ruseva acknowledged to

Bulgarian TV that she had been questioned about the girl, believed to be five or six years old, who was found during a raid for drugs and weapons in a Roma camp in central Greece last week. Ruseva said she gave birth to a girl while working as an olive picker in Greece.

The child's case gained global notice.

Ruseva said she wanted the girl back if tests prove she is the girl's mother.

But she denied taking any money for giving up her baby to another Roma family years ago.

The preliminary charges filed against her allow authorities to start an investigation into whether money changed hands for the child.

Greek authorities took custody of "Maria" after a prosecutor present during the camp raid noticed the blond, blue-eyed and paleskinned girl looked nothing like the couple raising her.

A DNA test confirmed she was not related to them.

Ruseva said she recognized the Greek Roma couple in the "Maria" case as the same people with whom she left her child. Ruseva said she gave birth to a girl while working as an olive picker in Greece "several years ago," but that she had to leave the child because she didn't have enough money to take her home.

Ruseva has had eight children. "I intended to go back and take my child home, but meanwhile I gave birth to two more kids so I was not able to go back," Ruseva said on Bulgarian TV, insisting that she did not get paid for giving up the girl. The "Maria" case has spurred concerns about child trafficking within the Roma community.

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Roma people in the spotlight

Child trafficking?

The "Maria" case has spurred concerns about child trafficking within the Roma community, and cries of racism as well. In an episode apparently inspired by the Greek case, two young blond, blue-eyed children were taken by police in Ireland from their Roma

parents, who had different complexions. But the girl and boy were returned to their families Wednesday after DNA tests determined the children were rightfully theirs. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Madeleine McCann case reopened

Portugal's public broadcaster says prosecutors are reopening the police investigation into the disappearance of British child Madeleine McCann, after a review of evidence found new leads in the case

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The public prosecutor decided to reopen the case after "new indications" emerged,

though the prosecutor gave no details in a report seen on Radiotelevisao Portuguesa.

The case was closed in 2008 because no crime was detected.

The girl vanished during a family vacation in southern Portugal's Algarve region in May 2007, just before her fourth birthday.

A team of detectives from northern Portugal began reviewing the evidence two years ago.

British police have also been sifting through the case files and said they have identified new avenues of investigation. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS designer the latest looks for less

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Spy charges threaten U.S. alliances

Reaction from Europe.

Leaders denounce Obama administration over eavesdropping allegations

European leaders united in anger Thursday as they attended a summit overshadowed by reports of widespread U.S. spying on its allies — allegations German Chancellor Angela Merkel said had shattered trust in the Obama administration and undermined the crucial trans-Atlantic relationship.

The latest revelations that the U.S. National Security Agency swept up more than 70 million phone records in France and may have tapped Merkel's own cellphone brought denunciations from the French and German governments.

Merkel's unusually stern remarks as she arrived at the European Union gathering indicated she wasn't placated by a phone conversation she had Wednesday with President Barack Obama, or his personal assurances that the U.S. is not listening in on her calls now.

Other leaders arriving for the 28-nation meeting echoed Merkel's displeasure. Swedish Prime Minister Fredrik Reinfeldt called it "completely unacceptable" for a country to eavesdrop on an allied leader.

Echoing Merkel, Austria's foreign minister, Micheal Spindelegger, said, "We need to re-establish with the U.S. a relationship of trust, which has certainly suffered from this."







Lactating mothers aim to set world record in breastfeeding

Filipino mothers breastfeed their babies during a mass breastfeeding program organized by the non-government organization Nurturers of the Earth and the city of Marikina to promote lactation by mothers instead of infant formula milk at Marikina, east of Manila, on Thursday. More than 500 lactating mothers took part in the program, which is also being held in other key sites nationwide in an attempt to make it to the Guinness World Record with the "most number of breastfeeding activity simultaneously held in multiple sites." BULLIT MARQUEZ/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Philippines. President tries to ease quake fears

The Philippine president slept overnight in an army tent to reassure still-jittery residents of a central town devastated by an earthquake this month.

President Benigno Aquino III said he felt a mild aftershock before dawn Thursday and had to wear a jacket to fight off the strong breeze in Bohol province's Loon town.

A magnitude-7.2 temblor on Oct. 15 killed 198 people,

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including 185 in Bohol, injured hundreds and damaged thousands of houses and old Roman Catholic churches. Many villagers have refused to return home amid continuing aftershocks and rumours of another quake that can cause a tsunami.

Aquino inspected damaged towns and handed food packs to displaced villagers before flying back to Manila on Thursday. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Russia. FBI investigates culture-exchange official

Russia on Thursday angrily dismissed espionage accusations against a Russian cultural-exchange official in Washington, saying the U.S. claims were unfounded.

The FBI is looking into whether Yury Zaytsev, the head of a Russian government-run cultural exchange program, tried to recruit young Americans as intelligence assets, a U.S. intelligence official told The Associated Press.

The official spoke on condition of anonymity because the probe was still underway.

The magazine Mother Jones first reported the story.

The Russian Foreign Ministry said it was "bewildered" by the reports and said the "fabrications they contained had nothing to do with the reality."

Zaytsev dismissed the accusations as an attempt to hurt ties between Moscow and Washington. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Anti-government ideology a growing concern

Sovereign citizens?

Libertarian-inspired philosophy said to pose threat to officer and public safety

Training for frontline officers and better information sharing between police and government agencies can help protect

law enforcement officials from potentially aggressive "sovereign citizens," says a newly declassified briefing to Canadian police chiefs.

The presentation, prepared for a meeting of the Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police, calls the libertarian-inspired philosophy "a growing concern" that poses a "threat to officer and public safety.'

Enforcement agencies are

becoming increasingly wary of sovereign citizens, members of the Freeman-on-the-Land movement and other like-minded people who resist police and government authority.

Adherents say they shun violence and merely want to live free of government-imposed shackles.

However, police say those who espouse the ideology have been involved in numerous violent encounters with lawenforcement and government employees in the United States and, to a lesser extent, in Can-

Freemen commonly claim they do not require a driver's licence, insurance or vehicle registration, police say. And advocates frequently assert a right to have weapons for self-protection, among other things.

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A Calgary police van remains in front of a rental home that a Freeman-on-the nad claimed as an embassy in September. BILL GRAVELAND/THE CANADIAN

Occupy protest

Settlement for California officer

The former University of California police officer who pepper-sprayed Occupy protesters has reached a worker's compensation settlement with the university system.

The Davis Enterprise reports that a judge approved the \$38,000 settlement between John Pike and the University of California on Oct. 16. Video of Pike pepper-spraying the protesters went viral online. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

British soccer fan jailed

Don't hit a police horse on the head

A British soccer fan has been jailed for 12 months for punching a police horse in the head after his team lost a derby match.

Barry Rogerson was one of several fans arrested after violence erupted following Newcastle United's 3-0 loss to Sunderland on April 14.

Clashes between their fans aren't uncommon because of the fierce rivalry between both teams. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



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A tangible reminder of JFK

In this Oct. 22 photo, a copy of the final edition of The Dallas Times Herald from Nov. 22, 1963, proclaims the assassination of former president John Fitzgerald Kennedy. The paper, along with a circa-1960s General Electric TV broadcast camera owned by KTVT TV in Dallas, is part of a themed memorabilia auction, called Camelot: Fifty Years After Dallas, at the Omni Parker House hotel in Boston, STEPHAN SAVOIA/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



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Forced labour in the cotton fields of Uzbekistan

Threats, brutality.

Uzbeks must perform national duty, which the government defines as supporting the cotton harvest

In Uzbekistan, this time of the year is the cotton harvest. It is also a time fraught with

One warm evening this month, Safarboy Karimov was at a public meeting in the western region of Karakalpakistan where he was humiliated by government officials for not picking enough cotton. At least one official said he would be better off hanging himself if he couldn't meet the quota.

A few days later, the father of four committed suicide. He was found hanging from a tree.

On Sept. 15, Amirbek Rakhmatov, 6, suffocated beneath a heap of raw cotton in the Bukhara region, also in western Uzbekistan. Amirbek had not gone to school that day. Instead, he went to a cotton field to help his mother, who had been "mo-bilized" by the government for the harvest. As she picked the white fluffy cotton balls, he climbed into a trailer and fell asleep. The other workers didn't notice the little boy and dumped raw cotton on top of him all day.

More than 130 apparel brands and retailers have pledged not to use Uzbek cot-

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It is the world's fifth-largest exporter of cotton, earning \$1 billion (U.S.) annually in exports to China, Turkey, Russia, the European Union and Bangladesh.

- Uzbekistan is infamous for its use of torture, violent suppression of dissent and persecution of human-rights activists.
- Authorities force adults in the public sector teachers, doctors, nurses - as well as the vulnerable and children into the cotton fields. They are threatened with physical violence and the loss of their jobs.



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School shooting

Demolition begins on Newtown school building

An official says the demolition has begun of the U.S. school where a gunman shot dead 20 young children and six adults in December — a tragedy that reopened the debate over gun safety.

The top elected leader in Newtown, Conn., Pat Llo-

dra, said Thursday that the demolition of the old Sandy Hook Elementary School building will take several weeks. Contractors are being asked to destroy materials to eliminate nearly every trace of the building.

A new Newtown school is expected to open by December 2016. Students have been attending classes in a neighbouring town.

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Campus sex assaults

UBC steps up safety measures after sex assaults

The University of British Columbia is putting extra safety measures in place following several sexual assaults on campus, weeks after a rape chant scandal.

The university is holding emergency meetings to alert students, handing out

whistles and says it will install more lighting and step up its late-night Safewalk program after three reported assaults.

The institution is also running ads on campusbound buses, warning women not to walk alone.

The school noted that a broader conversation around systemic sexualized violence needs to take place.

Vancouver women share their transit horror tales

Sexual harassment.

On student-run site, female TransLink riders recount being followed, touched

A 12-year-old girl in a school uniform kilt who had men follow her home off the bus.

A young woman who froze in her bus seat while a man rubbed his bare foot against her for 30 minutes. ("I felt SUPER gross but I still don't know if it counts as sexual harassment.")

These are a few of the anonymous stories submitted to "Harassment on TransLink," a website created by two Simon Fraser University undergrads to draw attention to sexual and gender-based violence on Vancouver's transit system.

Katie Nordgren and classmate Alexa Dredge started the project due to "not feeling very

Community solution

"I would love it if bystanders would feel empowered to step up, especially big dudes who aren't physically at risk."

Katie Nordgren, site co-creator

safe riding public transit."

The volume of submissions doesn't surprise Nordgren — she has been sworn at for ignoring advances and even had her headphones pulled out — but she was disturbed by the severity of many incidents (such as death threats) and the silence of bystanders.

TransLink spokeswoman Anne Drennan said sexual harassment is "taken very, very seriously," but it's rarely reported. "If we don't hear about it, we can't investigate it." EMILY JACKSON/METRO VANCOUVER



Study buddies

Some students sit at a desk while their peers strike against a controversial reform of the education system, at the Ciudad Universitaria on Thursday in Madrid. PABLO BLAZOUEZ DOMINGUEZ/GETTY IMAGES



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B.C. trailer-park nightmare finally over for one resident

'Overjoyed.' Stephen Chalmers has a new home thanks to donors from across the country



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As Stephen Chalmers stepped into his bright, spacious, new 1999 fifth-wheel in Langley, B.C., on Thursday, he went silent and just took it all in.

Then, he burst into tears.
"I live in a palace," he said, his voice quivering with relief after having survived nearly six weeks in a run-down Surrey trailer park without power.

Chalmers, who suffers from multiple mental illnesses including depression, was pushed to his limit when the landlord, K.B. Properties, failed to hire a health-and-safety co-ordinator for the demolition of the neighbouring Beladean Motel.

The demolition crew hit live hydro wires, and ever since then the Beladean Trailer Park has been running on unreliable generators — and even those the landlord failed to provide until the city got involved.

Chalmers wanted to leave, but his leaky 1989 trailer was too old and broken down to be accepted at most other trailer parks.

Realizing how desperate the situation was, his sister, Marilyn Chase, started a crowdfunding campaign on Fundrazr.com with Metro's assistance.

Within five days the campaign hit its goal of \$5,000. Metro then partnered with the



Travelhome trailer dealership in Langley, plus a very generous anonymous donor who heard Chalmers' story on Classic Rock 101 and offered another \$5,000, to buy him a refurbished, family-sized 26-foot trailer.

On Thursday Travelhome staff also surprised Chalmers, who lives on disability, with plenty of home furnishings, such as pots and pans, towels, bedding and gift certificates for groceries.

"I'm overwhelmed, overjoyed, ecstatically happy," Chalmers said, before adding he wanted to send a message to the donors across the country and as far away as Norway who made it all possible.

Chalmers' message to donors

"I don't pass out the word love very often, but the amount of love that you people showed me is overwhelming, and for that I thank you and I love you." Stephen Chalmers

Chalmers has found a new, quiet trailer park to live in,

and is thrilled that he will be reunited with his beloved shih tzu, Spaghetti. He has been unable to live with her for the past two years because his old, leaky trailer wasn't safe for her.

"It means that I'm not totally alone," he said. "The love that that dog shows me is absolutely undying and unconditional."

Several local politicians, including two members of provincial parliament and Surrey city councillor Barinder Rasode, showed up to the key handover to wish Chalmers well, and to promise him they will continue to fight for harsher penalties for negligent landlords. "As we head into the winter and you look at serious issues like people not having electricity or heat, we are working on it right away," said Rasode.

"We're hoping in the next couple of weeks that we'll have a recommendation (on tougher bylaws) from our bylaws de-

Others still without power

Eight residents with nowhere else to go still live at the Beladean Trailer Park in Surrey, which has been running on generators for nearly six weeks since an inadequately supervised motel demolition knocked the power out on Sept. 14.

- Program manager of emergency shelter Hyland House Peter Fedos conducts homeless outreach in the area on behalf of B.C. Housing.
- He said the city, the Ministry of Social Development, and Options Community Services, of which Hyland House is a part, are in constant contact about the situation.
- "Everyone is trying to ease the stress occurring for the residents at the trailer park." he said.
- "The Hyland House Mobile Outreach team is working with people there to see if we can get them re-housed in collaboration with B.C. Housing and everyone who is at the table supporting us."

How to donate to tenants who still need help

Metro is continuing to assist with the community's efforts to help some of the tenants buy new mobile or manufactured homes. To donate to the crowdfunding campaign, visit metronews.ca/newtrailer







Joan O'Keefe:

Supporting women

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An immigrant from the Congo, by way of a refugee camp, was a tad disappointed with her appointed volunteer doula.

"She said I want to learn English from you but you don't speak Canadian English," Joan O'Keefe said with a laugh at the memory of her first client.

native Bostonian, O'Keefe moved north 50 years ago, but that stubborn accent won't let go. O'Keefe is a Sister of Charity who volunteers with a number of organizations, but her primary vocation is a volunteer doula with the Chebucto Family Centre. Doulas support women through childbirth, but unlike midwives, they don't deliver the babies.

She started her training in 2009 and has since helped 39 children into the world. Only one of those, O'Keefe said, arrived on their due date.

"I thought it was a really important thing to support women through the labour and delivery process so they had one person with them," she said. "Doctors and nurses do shift work, we stay the whole time.

"It's a real privilege at this stage in my life."

She explains that it's all about being present. Sometimes she sits for hours in silence, other times she does what she can to ease the pain, like holding the women.

But the process actually begins months before the delivery. O'Keefe starts a relationship during the pregnancy so the family becomes comfortable with her presence. For six weeks after the birth, O'Keefe offers her support for new mothers.

She said she also tries to remember the babies' first birthdays.

"I'm really like a grandmother or great-grandmother," she said.

Most of the women are young, new to the country, alone or live in poverty. O'Keefe said some of the women fit in all those categories.

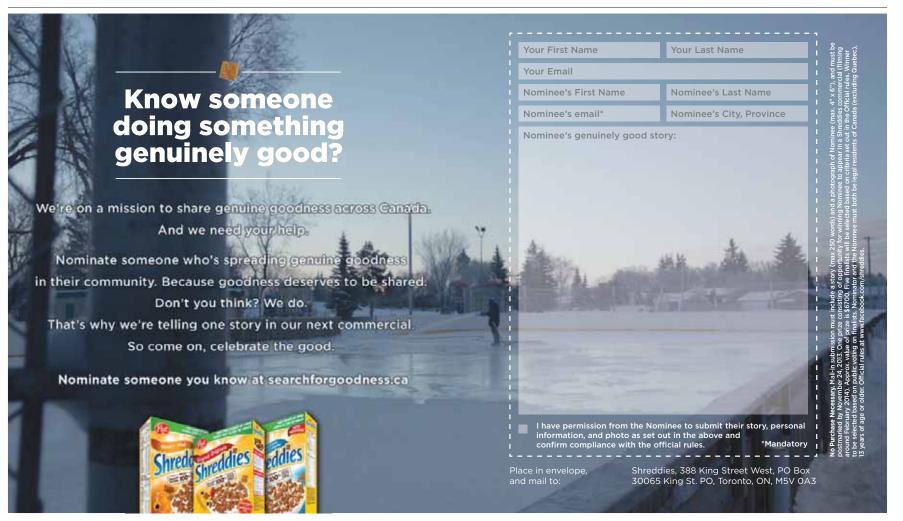
Katy, 20, a new mom who didn't want her last name published, said O'Keefe eased her difficult, and long, labour in August.

"I was really sick the whole time," Katy said. "She helped me get cleaned up and kept me all nice and calm."

At age 70, 24-hour labours are tiring for O'Keefe, but she manages.

"I really hope I can do this for a few more years. I think the doula work was like a graced moment that I could do it at this point in my life. Birth is a miracle and a gift, and to support people and affirm them in this beautiful thing that happens is a privilege."





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Olivieri Foods sold for \$120M

Canada Bread Company Ltd. says it has sold Olivieri Foods, its fresh pasta and sauce business, to Spanish-based Ebro Foods in a \$120-million deal. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Loblaw joins Primark in paying out factory victims

After deadly collapse in Bangladesh, where Joe Fresh made clothes, company pledges to help workers and families

Grocery giant Loblaw Companies Ltd. says it will provide long-term financial assistance to the victims and families af-fected by a deadly factory collapse in Bangladesh in April. The company said Thurs-

day the compensation will go to those who worked at the New Wave Style factory, which produced clothing for Loblaw's Joe Fresh clothing line. The company will also pay three months in wages to workers until the longer-term funds

The New Wave Style factory was one of five manufacturing collapsed, killing more than 1.100 workers on April 24

Loblaw did not disclose the

total compensation amount. In addition, the company has joined with British cloth-ing retailer Primark to provide financial assistance to workers of all retailers in the factory

"Should the other brands not step forward and join in this funding, we will join Primark and immediately contribute to the payment of three months wages for the approximately 3,600 individuals involved, regardless of the brand apparel that was being produced in their workplace, said Bob Chant, Loblaw's senior vice-president of corporate affairs and communications.

The company has previ-ously donated \$1 million to Save the Children Bangladesh and the Centre for Rehabilitation of the Paralysed, to help



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PHOTO CHALLENGE

Metro asked readers to submit their best work with the five senses as a theme, and as an extra challenge — the sixth sense. Here are the 12 Canadian winners as chosen by our panel of celebrity judges. They will now compete for the global prize in each category in addition to being considered for the grand prize a trip to Africa —as selected by the public. Visit metrophotochallenge.ca.

"It doesn't take a clairvoyant to tell that the bottom of this lake is filled with at least a dozen bodies in various states of decay, just waiting to float to the surface with their faces pointing towards the moon, at which point they will suddenly smile." Douglas Coupland





In Cormac 'No Country for Old Men' McCarthy's screenwriting debut, The Counselor, he tells a gritty story of a greedy lawyer (Michael Fassbender) in over his head after dipping his toe in the narcotics trade with drug lord Reiner (Javier Bardem) and his sociopath girlfriend Malkina (Cameron Diaz). When the deal - smuggling 625 kilos of cocaine from Mexico to Chicago — goes south, the counselor finds his life swirling out of control. Spiraling around this grim vortex are womanizing middle-man Westray (Brad Pitt), prison inmate Ruth (Rosie Perez) and the counselor's long-distance girlfriend Laura (Penélope Cruz).

- Richard: ••••
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RICHARD CROUSE AND MARK BRESLIN





Less talk, more action

The Counselor.

Existential speeches bog down a promising dark crime drama

Richard: Mark, Counselor is the feel bad movie of the year. Bleak and hopeless, it's a crime drama that examines the reasons and consequences of crime instead of focusing on the crime itself. It's a stylish cautionary tale about the worst of human behaviour driven by greed, lust and hubris; a non-action, action movie where most of the fireworks are in McCarthy's dialogue. Luckily actors like Bardem, Pitt and Fassbender are there to keep the fuse lit. What did you make of it?

Mark: I'm convinced there's a decent movie embedded in this overstuffed, overwritten film. First, let's take out all the portentous, existential speeches delivered by even the most tangential characters. Then, we could cut about two-thirds of Michael Fassbender's pained reaction shots. He looks like he's got indigestion after being force-fed the script. Oh, and get rid of the opening soft-core scene between him and Penélope Cruz. Then, there might be a grimly sardonic movie on the order of No Country for Old Men. But as it is, I could only enjoy it for the acting, the scenery, and Bardem's collection of 80's Versace shirts.

RC: I liked it more than you, but only by one of Javier Bar-

dem's crazy Brian Grazier hairs. Talky to the extreme, the entire movie is built around dialogue that sounds like it flowed from the hardest boiled crime writer out there, which I guess Mc-Carthy is now that Elmore Leonard is working from his celestial typewriter. Catch phrases abound — "You don't know someone until you know what they want," for example — but it is wordy. Sometimes brilliantly so, but the pacing, particularly in the first hour, will be thought of as hypnotic by some, slow by others. My main disappointment was Diaz, who I didn't think could deliver the dialogue. You?

MB: Diaz was OK because she looked the part and that got her through some clunky

line readings. But back to the script... the plot is revealed slowly, in layers, which will not be to everyone's liking. You just know you are in the company of some very bad people; you're just not sure why. This mysteriousness kept me interested for awhile; then I started counting the speaking parts and calculating the budget. Even at scale, it must have mounted up. And semifamous actors keep showing up for only one scene, never to be seen again, like Ruben Blades. And Richard, was that John Leguizamo in an uncredited scene?

RC: Yes! It's cameo city!

MB: Fits right in with the movie's aesthetic of more is

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All is Lost

Director. J.C. Chandor

Stars. Robert Redford

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Robert Redford plays a sailor on a solo yacht trip on the Indian Ocean. When his boat collides with an abandoned shipping container he must use all his resources to survive. The actor is in every frame of this film and although he only speaks a dozen or so lines, manages to create a compelling persona of a man hell bent on survival against increasingly difficult odds. All is Lost is more audacious than it is entertaining, but it showcases Redford's effortless star power. Alone and figuratively naked, he holds the screen for the entire 106 minutes.

RICHARD CROUSE

Comedy



Bad Grandpa

Director. Jeff Tremaine

Stars. Johnny Knoxville, Jackson Nicoll

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It's juvenile and tasteless but let's not pretend the stunts the Jackass team cook up aren't daring. In Bad Grandpa, Jackass mastermind Johnny Knoxville spins a narrative into the mix, playing a sex-obsessed octogenarian who teams up with his pre-pubescent grandson to pull provocative pranks on the unsuspecting public. Although the "story" ultimately suffers on behalf of the gags, Knoxville and young Jackson Nicoll are extraordinary, especially when they push buttons in a little miss princess pageant. STEVE GOW

What happens to actors in Vegas stays in Vegas (mostly)

Jerry Ferrara. Unless Robert De Niro beats you up. Then you can talk about it. The Entourage star chats about working in the desert

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Metro World News in Hollywood

Jerry Ferrara swears it's a coincidence that his post-Entourage acting career keeps bringing him back to Las Vegas — not that he's complaining. Ferrara hits the bachelor party circuit in Last Vegas and next spring's Think Like a Man Too. And he's starting to feel like a local

You've got two movies coming up set in Las Vegas. How much more fun or more difficult is it



to film there?

You know what? Look, Vegas is obviously a really fun place to spend your time. There is a big difference in going there for two or three days and then living there for two or three months. I don't know why the stars are kind of lining up and bringing me back there to work — not saying that I don't appreciate it. I love it, but it's just weird. It's a crazy experience to actually get used to a routine in Vegas — getting on the elevator at 5 a.m. to go to work when most people are coming home; going through a full day and then you kind of come home from work; you have some dinner and you're like, "Oh, I'm going to read a book or my script for tomorrow and go to sleep." I didn't experience that in my younger years, so it's weird. "I'm going to wake up and go for a run at 5 a.m. in the desert.

People do actually live there and work there.

Exactly! At one point I started saying to myself, "You know what? I could live here. I could see myself living here." There's definitely a lot to do, as long as you keep the gambling in check (laughs). You can have a nice little life over there

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In Last Vegas, you get laid out by Robert De Niro. Is it easier on your pride to take getting decked by a senior citizen when it's De Niro?

I don't think anybody especially any guy who fancies himself as even being a little bit tough — wants to get beat up in a movie. But I can't think of a better person in the world — like if you literally gave me a choice and said, "Jerry, you're going to have to get knocked out in this movie. You can cast anyone you want to knock you out," De Niro would be the guy I would say. I'm pretty lucky in the sense that my first on-screen knockout punch is by Robert frigging De





She is playing the Hollywood game well

Hailee Steinfeld.

After an Oscar nom, True Grit actress has been choosing her roles wisely



EHRBAR Metro World News in Hollywood

Since getting Hollywood's attention — and an Oscar nomination — for True Grit in 2010, 16-year-old Hailee Steinfeld has kept some impressive momentum going.

This fall, she debuted Can a Song Save Your Life at the Toronto International Film Festival before seeing Romeo and Juliet hit theatres.

Now she co-stars in the long-awaited film adaptation of the science-fiction novel Ender's Game

It's still early in your career, but you're making some great choices.

There's really been no specific method in terms of picking roles or any of that. I find that everything that I've done has been so different from the last, and I think that's a reason why I love that and I'm attracted to certain roles. But it's a process that involves my agents and my parents, so there's a lot of filtering before it gets to me. It comes down to just sort of loving the idea and loving the whole story and wanting to be a part of it.

You're also doing a lot of adaptations, which is becoming a common theme. Yes! Which again is not

necessarily intentional but really helpful. I always find it interesting when some actors don't read the book (something is based on) — which is starting to make more sense to me given the fact that you're given a script to make a movie, and it may or may not have anything to do with the book. I remember when I shot True Grit, the fact that

it was a book and had been done before was huge for me and it helped me so much. And then with Romeo and Juliet and Ender's Game, it's just a couple hundred extra pages of knowledge.

With Ender's Game, some viewers seem to be looking for a love story between yours and Asa Butterfield's

characters where there isn't one. Is that frustrating?

Yeah, right? I know. I think in some ways it's expected. But the beauty of the relationship is that there's no pressure in terms of liking each other or any of that.

They don't have to fall in love to trust each other. There doesn't have to be any of that. They have a really great friendship, which I think is really special. And again, they're in Battle School.

People aren't secretly going out, there's none of that happening. There's no place to go, there's nothing to do, you're under strict rules and you're away from your family so all you really want is a friend.



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Shaken, stirred and turned into a memoir

Picker. David Picker.

The man who brought James Bond to the big screen reveals how he succeeded and how he failed in his new book

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orld News in New York City

Film exec David V. Picker doesn't have the flamboyance of a Robert Evans. But his track record is arguably even more staggering. As a producer, including a stint as president of United Artists in the '60s and '70s, he helped bring James Bond to the movies, as well as the Beatles and Woody Allen. His new book, Musts, Maybes and Nevers: A Book About the Movies, details his successes and occasional disasters over a lengthy career.

This is a largely positive book, though you do call Robert Altman an unprintable word.

Some of the people I dealt with I had enormous respect for and liked. Some of the people I had respect for and didn't like. Some of the people I dealt with I neither respected nor liked. It's the nature of the beast, but in the world of the arts, it's probably even more - how should I say? — more colourful.

Artists don't always have a strong business sense.

But many do. Even if they don't have good business sense, they understand that in order to get support for what they do, they have to deal with the financial reality. Some of them are very



good and extremely caring, others — on both sides of the table — couldn't care less.

The cliché of the '60s and '70s was there was a greater creativity than there is now.

I'm not sure that's true. There was certainly great freedom, but I just saw two movies in the last few days that are fantastic, and they couldn't be further apart in economic content. You go see Gravity and you go see Nebraska, and you see two fabulous movies that couldn't be further apart in the economic risks involved and the potential gain involved.

And yet both got made and are absolutely fabulous films.

You mention not only great, beloved films you were involved with, but also disasters. But some, like The **Fugitive Kind and Electra** Glide in Blue, have come around to some retroactive acclaim. Even Ishtar has a cult following now.

Well, that doesn't make it good. I don't think Ishtar is a very good movie. The Fugitive Kind is a terrible picture. It just doesn't work. That's my opinion. Other people may think it's a classic of some

- Woody Allen. "This is a close-up look at what made a great film studio great, by a man who was a truly vital part of that story."
- Steve Martin. "A forthright compendium of some of the most important films and film people of the late 20th century. David Picker is as compelling a memoirist as he is producer."

kind. They're entitled to think that. ... The one thing about the arts is everybody comes away with their own opinions. Some people look at modern art and say it's just junk. Other people look at it and think it's fabulous and interesting.

You stress how hard it is to predict success in the movie business. Even James Bond a British series starring a then-unknown — was risky. Every movie's a risk. I think making Dr. No for a million dollars wasn't a giant risk. The difficulty was getting the rights. Initially Ian Fleming wasn't going to sell them. Then he sold them to somebody who couldn't get it made. Then it (came) to us. One of the partners had a deal with Columbia, but Columbia didn't want to do it then.

It's hard to look back today and say, "What do you mean they didn't want to do the first James Bond?" But they passed and I got it. There's no accounting for how those decisions are made, and ... it's water under the bridge.

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What will Oscar bring this year?

Oscar season officially kicked off last month at the Toronto International Film Festival, and Hollywood has wasted no time pushing their awards favourites in theatres and at the remaining fall festivals, but most of the buzzed-about films have still yet to hit screens. That means it's time for one of the industry's favourite pastimes: rampant speculation. Here's where we think the nominations will land — assuming Martin Scorsese gets his Wolf of Wall Street ready in time.

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Metro World News in Hollywood

Best picture

For possibly the first year since the Academy expanded the big category to up to 10 nominations, it might actually be tough to pick just 10. But for us, it doesn't matter what other films get nods since 12 Years a Slave has it in the bag already.

- 12 Years a Slave projected winner
- Gravity
- Dallas Buyers Club
- Nebraska
- Captain Phillips
- Wolf of Wall Street
- Inside Llewyn
- Davis
- American HustleSecret Life of
- Secret Life of Walter Mitty



Best actor

We've already seen some fantastic performances this year, with more on the way, but the stars are aligned for Matthew McConaughey following a string of great, risky performances over the past two years leading up to his amazing work in Dallas Buyers Club.

- Matthew McConaughey, Dallas Buyers Club projected winner
- Chiwetel Ejiofor,12 Years a Slave
- Hugh Jackman, Prisoners
- · Leonardo DiCaprio, Wolf of Wall Street
- Ben Stiller, Secret Life of Walter Mitty

Best actress

Sandra Bullock is an easy favourite for the nervewracking Gravity, but we're hoping Academy voters have long enough memories to finally give Cate Blanchett her due for her work in Woody Allen's latest.

- Sandra Bullock, Gravity
- Cate Blanchett, Blue Jasmine projected winner
- Judi Dench, Philomena
- Meryl Streep, August: Osage County
- Kate Winslet, Labor Day



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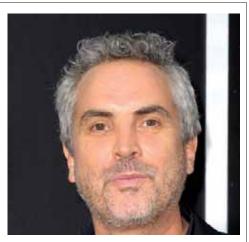
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Best director

While we'd love a 12 Years a Slave sweep, Gravity was also an amazing film-going experience— and a four-year labour of love for Alfonso Cuaron. He should be rewarded for the achievement.

- Steve McQueen, 12 Years a Slave
- Alfonso Cuaron, Gravity projected winner
- Ben Stiller, Secret Life of Walter Mitty
- David O. Russell, American Hustle
- Alexander Payne, Nebraska





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Benedict Cumberbatch stars in Sherlock as the famous detective of the same name. CONTRIBUTED

Mystery solved: Sherlock will return to PBS in January

Television. Benedict Cumberbatch's series back on TV at the beginning of 2014, this time paired with Downton Abbey

Sherlock, starring Benedict Cumberbatch, will return to public TV in January, keeping company on Sunday nights with the Downton Abbey crowd.

Season three of the modern Sherlock Holmes mystery series will begin Jan. 19, PBS said Wednesday. It was previously announced that the fourth season of Downton will begin Jan 5.

The scheduling reflects PBS' new strategy of pairing dramas on Sunday, part of a broader effort to build "flow within a given night in our schedule," said Beth Hoppe, PBS' chief programming



cent last season compared to

drama about the lives and

loves of landed gentry and

their servants, will be preced-

ed by a Dec. 1 special, Return

to Downton Abbey. Hosted by

Susan Sarandon, it will offer

a look at past seasons and a

Downton Abbey, the hit

the year before, Hoppe said.

executive. Prime-time viewership on Sunday, home to primarily British dramas, grew 26 per cent last season with the new approach, Hoppe said, and Sherlock and Downton Abbey were seen as good partners.

Overall, PBS' prime-time ratings were up seven per

What else is returning?

 Returning shows. Other returning U.K. dramas include Call the Midwife and Mr. Selfridge starring Jeremy Piven, both debuting Sunday, March 30, and The Bletchley Circle on April 13.

peek at the one ahead.

As in the past, the drama's new season already is in progress on Britain's ITV. PBS has resisted timing the U.S. to the U.K. airings, saying the January debut works better for its schedule — a move that's allowed spoilers to cross the Atlantic.

But PBS relented with BBC's Sherlock, which is scheduled closer to its yet-to-be announced British airing, Hoppe said.

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Bringing Dracula back to life in a new way

Television. Creator of the new series. Cole Haddon, talks about re-imagining the Count and using a vampire to take on the one percenters



Screenwriter and comic-book scribe Cole Haddon makes his first foray into network television with Dracula, a re-imagining that pits Bram Stoker's bloodsucker (Jonathan Rhys Meyers) against a super-rich Christian secret society in 19thcentury London.

What's the process for finding a new way to work with a familiar property?

I think it always begins with the theme, which always seems to be something that's frustrating me about the world at the moment. I don't know if there's any reason to really go back to these stories unless you find ways to make them relevant to modern audiences. It's finding that thing that matters to me today, then finding a way to create conflict in the world with that, really.

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You're using a very particular evil that's prevalent today. How did you land on that?

One of the challenges with Dracula is that he's a supernatural monster, and I do not have much faith myself. So wandering in the world of the supernatural isn't terribly exciting.

However, having a character born of some sort of supernatural damnation and pitting him against an organization that's founded on fundamentalist principles, that have incredibly crazy ideas about spreading their religion across the globe via holy war seemed very fascinating to me. It's the conflict between science and faith that exists in the world at least in America — today.

They're not just fundamentalists, though. There's also the oil barons and the one percenters represented.

Well, the Order in this world is very much the forces of conservatism. It's religion that has absorbed capitalism and made it part of its religion in order to oppress the masses. It also allows me to comment on my disdain for fossil fuels.

When you're pitching this to a TV network, how much of that do you leave out?

It's astonishing, but to NBC's credit, whenever I talked about it they asked for more. I never felt censored by NBC in this regard, and at the end of the day just by virtue of editing and development some references have been left out, but it is very apparent that the villains of this world are the fundamentalists, and they have very specific ideas for what the 20th century should be, and I just happen to disagree with

When you're writing a horrorbased show for network TV, what's the self-censorship

Every time I tried to censor myself, I was told I didn't go far enough. That's the bizarre irony of network television, where we no longer can show the amount of skin that we did in 1994 when NYPD Blue was on the air, but if it comes to violence, the threshold is so much further down the line. So more often than not we got to do whatever we wanted in the gore factor.





3 songs for the weekend



SOUND CHECK Alan Cross scene@metronews.ca Sure, you could just listen to these tracks, but for maximum effect, watch them in a browser or on your phone



You Should Consider Having Sex with a Bearded Man/The Beards

This Australian band was scheduled to come to North America this fall, but members couldn't get their U.S. visas. The video has more than one million views on YouTube.



Young/Paper Kites

What kind of patience is required to make a music video out of 80,000 still images? This Australian group managed to make it through the daunting process. Amazing.



Autobiography (Page 1)/Peter Serafinowicz

The one in which a British comedian sings the first page of Morrissey's just-released autobiography (cleverly entitled, er, Autobiography) to the tune of the song William, It Was Really Nothing.



Brian Wilson promising crafted tour performances

Music. Beach Boys founder, who is on tour with Jeff Beck, says he's gotten better over time

Brian Wilson says that with time, he's become a stronger performer.

"It's gotten better. We've

had a little practice. ... The musicianship, the vocals have gotten better," he said.

Wilson is on a joint tour with Jeff Beck. It wraps Oct. 30 in Milwaukee.

Wilson, the 71-year-old singer/songwriter, even said he's improved since the Beach Boys' 50th anniversary tour last year.

"It was a very sentimental experience, but the vocals are

even better now."

But Wilson wouldn't talk about the drama with Mike Love surrounding the band or what the future of the group entailed.

Wilson and Love, cousins and founding members of the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame band the Beach Boys, have been embroiled in a series of divisive lawsuits.

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Freedia makes a Big thing bounce

Get to twerk. New Orleans hip-hop star Big Freedia brings some booty to TV audiences with Fuse series

New Orleans hip-hop artist Big Freedia is twerking his way to TV screens.

The openly gay rapper, a representative of the city's vibrant underground music scene, debuted his weekly Fuse show, Big Freedia: Queen of Bounce, earlier this month.

He's helped bring bounce music — the energetic brand of hip-hop born in New Orleans that's conducive to the mid-section, hip-shaking dance move known as twerking — to the masses.

"It's been around for two decades. It's the culture there, it's history there," he said of the dance.

Last month, Big Freedia earned a Guinness World Records title for organizing the most people twerking simultaneously, with more than 250 people in New York's Herald Square. The performer aid his new series, which airs Wednesdays, will reveal more layers of his personality.

"They get to see me on a more personal level. They get to see some of the struggles that I go through day-to-day," he said.

Big Freedia, who has opened for the Postal Service's tour this year, discussed his music, Miley Cyrus' twerking and homophobia in hiphon

I've been hearing that twerking is dead. Do you agree?

Twerking is definitely not dead. I've been twerking for the last three years, converting one twerker at a time all around the world.

Miley Cyrus twerked at the MTV Video Music Awards, among other places. What's your take on her twerking?

She really didn't twerk, you know.

She attempted to twerk, but she didn't really twerk properly and so people were confused and a little baffled about the dance moves that she did do.

What is proper twerk technique?

Definitely practice in the mirror before you attempt it. You have to use your body in the upright position, you can use your knees for support and

that's the only way you can twerk.

How accepted do you feel in the rap community?

I feel very accepted, like I never have any slander. I never have any issues. You know, like, when people see me, they respect me. It's all about how you carry yourself.

Are you ever offended by homophobic lyrics?

Not at all. I know who I am, I stand firm on who I am. Those artists are going to vent out and say what they feel and as long as it's not, you know, directed to say one person, that's fine. It's lyrics. It's gonna be around for a long time.

When are you going to release new music?

I have an EP coming out ... I also have an album coming out ... And I'm about ready to go on my fall tour for five weeks, travelling all around the world and spreading the goodness of bounce music.

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Canadian rapper Shad. 'What I do is pretty straight-ahead rap'

Canadian rapper Shad wanted to drastically increase the "degree of difficulty" on his fourth album Flying Colours, crafting a densely musical, intensely personal statement of serious ambition. And yet it's an off-the-cuff moment on the rec-



ord's most familiar-sounding track that has fans chattering.

The boom-bap throwback Stylin' is vintage Shad, though the pointed lyric in particular is perhaps not: "I got fans that say, 'Oh hey Shad, I hate rap but I like you!" | Well I hate that but I like you | Or at least I like that you like me, so I won't spite you | It's not your fault that you're a white dude that likes white music I like too | Just don't be surprised by my IQ."

The 31-year-old is often held aloft as a nutritious alternative to that "other" rap, a likable everyman whose knotty (but never naughty) rhymes tend to avoid such well-worn rap tropes as violence or bank-account bragging.

But he's not always comfortable with his status as Canadian rap's cerebral saviour, especially when a compliment simultaneously implies an insult toward his hip-hop peers.

"It can be a source of frustration," he said during a recent interview on the patio of a Toronto cafe. "The truth is, what I do is pretty straight-ahead rap. It's not like Gym Class Heroes or something like that where there's this obvious crossover appeal.

"I think to a great extent it's been awesome and a pleasant surprise throughout my whole career," he adds of the support he's received. "Even outside of music, it's like a faith in humanity thing, where you're like: 'Oh cool, people can listen really open-mindedly. It's not what they normally listen to but they listen closely with an intent to empathize.'

"And then to some extent it's like, well, hopefully that will open your mind up to other music that I love, which has influenced me, and sometimes people are still closed off to that. And I think that's the frustration I was describing. I come from a tradition of people who do exactly this. I mean, I'm doing it in my own way, but it comes from a long tradition. I'm not really inventing it."

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Big Freedia is the stage name of artist Freddie Ross. JEREMY SIMMONS / THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Consistently complex

His ambition is not new

His 2005 debut When This is Over touched on Rwandan genocide (Shad was born in Kenya to Rwandan parents before moving to London, Ont.), his 2007 breakthrough The Old Prince included trenchant insights on race that caught Kanye West's attention, and 2010's TSOL earned the rapper a surprise Juno Award triumph over Drake and cemented his reputation as one of the most talented rappers in Canada.



Are Pattinson and Stewart hooking up on the DL?

Maybe things aren't so over between Robert Pattinson and Kristen Stewart after all. The Twilight co-stars, who officially split up five months ago, have reportedly been seeing each other on the sly, according to Life & Style magazine. "They've always had a passion for each other, so even though the relationship didn't work out, they still hook up when they're in L.A.," a source says. "Rob doesn't see a future with Kristen at this point in time, but he likes to hook up with her. He's made it clear that they are not exclusive."

Question marks loom over Lohan's sobriety



Lindsay Lohan's behaviour over the past week has been raising eyebrows, leading skeptics to suspect the effects of her courtordered 90-day rehab stint may have worn off, but her dad, Michael Lohan, insists all is well. "I've seen and speak to Lindsay constantly, and every time I do she is clear of mind, and by no means do I have any suspicion of her relapsing in any way," he tells Radar Online. "Maybe she goes out at night, but who doesn't? She's up in the morning and she's doing the right thing.

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OUR TAKE ON THE WORLD OF CELEBRITIES

The Word

50Shades has its brand new Christian Grey: Jamie Dornan

Wait, Jamie who? Dornan.

Oh, from Game of Thrones? No, from Once Upon a Time, that TV series with fairy tale characters. He played the Hunstman in the Enchanted Forest and Sheriff Graham in Storybrooke, the show's

alternative universe.

Where else have I seen him? Possibly Marie Antoinette, if you were one of the six people who saw that. Or from magazine ads. He was a Calvin Klein model and the face (and body) of Dior Homme. But British audiences know the 31-year-old as the serial



killer on The Fall, a hit BBC series starring Gillian Anderson. And gossip fans know him as Keira Knightley's ex. They dated for two years.

So how'd he get cast as Christian Grey?

He has abs. He has experience (sexing up the lady mayor on Once). And he probably came cheap. Sons

of Anarchy star Charlie Hunnam, who has a higher profile, was reportedly to be paid only \$125,000 before he dropped out. Expect Dornan to get that or less.

Word is he's Northern Irish.

Does he have a sexy accent?

So is he single?

Alas, no. He's married to singer Amelia Warner, who records under the name Slow Moving Millie. They're expecting a child soon.

And does Twitter approve?

It's early. Fans are probably still busy Google Image-searching his name to form an opinion. But the popular @BieberSuperArmy account was among the first to weigh in with: "This will be Christian Grey, his name is Jamie Dornan, let's take a moment to thank God." METRO







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For winemakers, fall is all

about harvesting. Brewers, meanwhile, turn to the creation of limited edition craft ales — many of which take their names and flavour cues from the season.

Local brews are hotter than Hades, with their fans applying a reverence for their stylistic differences that's arguably surpassed only by those who appreciate fine wine.

What gives beer the edge when it comes to the "cool factor" is that consumer attitude regarding adding flavour elements to beer is much more open minded than those of their counterparts in the wine world.

That gives breweries carte blanche to add inspiration to

their autumn ales, with many focusing on October's official gourd — the pumpkin.

The output of most small, regional breweries is sold close to home, so visit them, or hit your local retailer, to see what's being brewed in your own backyard.

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We all scream for scary treats

By the time you've carved an army of pumpkins, costumed your pint-sized ghouls and purchased bushels of candy, time for cooking up spooky grub may be in short supply. These treats don't require much time or energy so you can still do the Monster Mash.

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Vampire Doughnuts

Arrange a stack of honeyglazed doughnuts on a large serving tray. Use bamboo skewer to poke two fang holes in top of each, then dribble red gel food colouring coming out of the holes and down the sides of the doughnuts.



Goblet Grave

Head to craft store and pick up a silicone skull and crossbones ice cube tray. Fill each cavity with plain Greek yogurt, then use offset spatula to smooth the tops and remove any excess yogurt from the tray. Freeze until solid (overnight is best).Let the cubes soften at room temperature for several minutes, then remove the ice cubes from the tray. Arrange cubes in a small bowl set over a larger bowl of crushed ice. Serve alongside goblets of grape juice.

Candied Apple Craniums

Wash and dry 6 apples. Insert large candy stick. Set aside. Place 12 ounces of white candy melts in heat-safe bowl. Set bowl over saucepan of simmering water. Stir until the candy has melted. Dunk each apple into candy melts, spooning up sides and over the top for an even coating. Set coated apples upright on waxed paper. Use a rolling pin to roll out Tootsie Rolls until flat. Use a paring knife to cut round eyes and a heart-shaped nose from the flattened



Tootsie Rolls. "Glue" the eyes and nose (mount the "heart" upside down) to the apples using piping gel or a bit of purchased frosting.

Doughnut Spider

Set a chocolate glazed doughnut in centre of large serving platter. Place chocolate cake doughnut against it. Glazed doughnut forms spider's body; the cake doughnut is the head. Place 2 chocolate doughnut holes on top of cake doughnut to form eyes (use a dab of frosting to hold them in place). Top each doughnut hole with dab of white frosting, then gently press a chocolate chip into each. For legs, arrange three sets of three chocolate doughnut holes coming off



of each side of the "body" doughnut.



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an elementary school track meet. The fact of the matter is that wine awards are judged by a panel of wine experts.

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The 100 point scale can be a little misleading as you will rarely (if ever) see any wines that are rated below 85. This basically leaves you with a 15 point score with anything over 95 being the best of the very best.

I prefer finding award winners when shopping for a gem at my local wine shop.

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And the winner is

"A wine competition with multiple winners in any category means that those wines have hit an average score decided ahead of time, which will qualify the wine for a bronze, silver or gold medal."

antee a medal.

Typically, a wine needs to get a certain average score to qualify for even a bronze medal. This is why sometimes you will find a competition that has multiple gold medal winners.

A wine competition with multiple winners in any category means that those wines have hit an average score decided ahead of time, which will qualify the wine for a bronze, silver or gold medal.

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Rainmen class it up for flash mob

NBL. Team participates in some guerrilla marketing ahead of Nov. 1 season opener



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More than one onlooker appeared perplexed by the towering men dressed in tuxedos holding up noon Spring Garden Road traffic on Thursday.

The news spread fast as the clusters of onlookers grew around the street's busy Dresden Row intersection.

It was a Halifax Rainmen flash mob. For three minutes, the team formed a human traffic barrier.

"Someone yelled: 'Please don't wash our windows,'" Rainmen guard Robert Nortmann recalled.

"It was something different; it was a little bit of fun."

Rainmen owner Andre Levingston showed up to watch the spectacle unfold incognito. It was an idea drawn up by the team's marketing director, in order to drum up some more public awareness for the team.

As far as Levingston is concerned, it served its purpose.

"Naturally people wanted to know who are these six-footnine guys walking across the street," said Levingston. "You don't even have to like basketball. When you see that many guys looking that good, it captures people's attention."

Afterwards, players spent some time talking and signing autographs.

The Rainmen have had difficulty seeking a wide popularity base in the city. But Levingston said he understands it takes time, and is confident it will come.

"It's just one of those things where we just have to stay on the grind. But it's not just particular to the Rainmen, it's about building your franchise."

The Rainmen will play their first pre-season home game against the Island Storm at the Metro Centre on Sunday at 2 p.m.

Tickets are complimentary and can be picked up at the Metro Centre box office or Superstore outlets.

Fans are entitled to a maximum of 10 tickets.

"We're hoping for a great turnout. I think fans will be really impressed with what they see."

The Rainmen's regular season opener is set for Nov. 1, against the Saint John Mill Rats.

Football

Huskies look to nail down first place vs. X-Men

The first-place Saint Mary's Huskies sit firmly in control of their own destiny.

A road win against the St. Francis X-Men on Saturday guarantees the Huskies will host the Loney Bowl on Nov. 9.

A loss, and it's not so simple for Saint Mary's, who along with the Mount Allison Mounties and Acadia Axemen are playing their last game of the season on Saturday.

Kickoff is scheduled for 2 p.m.

An X-Men win puts them in the playoffs. Saint Mary's can still capture top spot even with a loss, provided Acadia wins. Regardless, the Huskies have earned a playoff spot, but a loss this weekend and a Mount Allison victory means the Mounties will move to first place and the Huskies will drop to third.

"We want a dominant

"We want a dominant win," said Huskies coach Perry Marchese. "Any coach would say that. It's our last game of the year. But, ultimately, a win is good enough."

It hasn't been an easy season for Marchese, who can thank his defence for the bulk of his team's success.

"I'll take a frustrating, agonizing, painful season being in first place over anything else."

Playing for their playoff lives, the X-Men will be a desperate team.

În their last meeting, the Huskies topped St. Francis 25-13 at home on Sept. 27.

"For us it's about who brings it on that given day," said coach Gary Waterman. ANDREW RANKIN/METRO



Season-ending injury devastates Halifax forward

QMJHL. Falkenham was looking for breakout draft year



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Just when Ryan Falkenham seemingly found his groove, the 18-year-old's season was cruelly cut short.

Now, the Halifax Mooseheads' versatile forward will have to wait until next year to rejoin the team.

What he originally thought was a manageable injury, turned out to be a much more serious affair a couple of weeks ago.

"It was really disappointing; actually I was pretty devastated," said Falkenham.

"Originally, I was hoping to wait it out, then I was told if I kept playing I could do some serious damage."

Next month he'll go under the knife to repair labral tears and impingements in both of his hips.

"It was my draft year and I was hoping to have a big year. It sucks to get this news so early in the early season."

Falkenȟam entered his third season with the Moose-



Forward Ryan Falkenham is out for the season with an injury. JEF HA

Home-and-home series

The Halifax Mooseheads and Bathurst Titan will play a home-and-home set this weekend. The teams clash in Bathurst Friday night, then again at the Metro Centre on Saturday at 7 p.m.

heads having notched 21 points in 45 games last season. Before the injury, the five-foot-10, 179-pounder picked up four goals in his last seven games.

But beyond his point pro-

duction, the Halifax native boasts a very consistent as well as a solid two-way game.

The injury doesn't impede Falkenham's life outside of the rink. He has no difficulty walking, for example.

He admits watching his teammates from the press box is particularly torturous, given that he feels healthy.

But on the bright side, there's the promise of next year.

"I'll have a big role on this team," he said. "Hopefully, I'll be a little quicker, more mobile. Better."

Mixed martial arts

Extreme Cage Combat 18 to take over Halifax Forum

Dartmouth's Mike Kent

will challenge former UFC fighter David Loiseau for the light-heavyweight title at Extreme Cage Combat 18 on Friday night at the Halifax Forum.

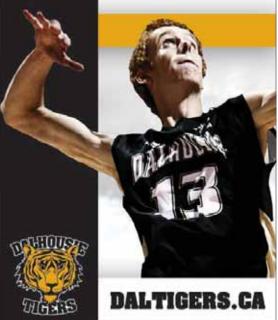
The pair are the main event in the card, which

begins at 7:30 p.m.
Fellow Dartmouth
fighter Tristan Johnson,
who's Canada's fifth-ranked
featherweight, will face
off against Quebec's David
Pariseau in another mar-

quee matchup. metro







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Cardinals shortstop Pete Kozma throws to first base for a ground out against the Red Sox during Game 2 of the World Series on Thursday night in Boston.

NBA

Raptors extend contracts of Ross. **Valanciunas**

The Toronto Raptors have exercised the third-year team options on the entrylevel contracts of centre Jonas Valanciunas and guard Terrence Ross, extending the deals through the 2014-15

The Raptors had until next Thursday to exercise their option on both players.

The seven-foot, 257-pound Valanciunas joined the Raptors after being selected fifth overall in the 2011 NBA draft and spending the 2011-12 season playing overseas.

He was named to the

2012-13 NBA all-rookie second team after finishing the year ranked third among rookies in rebounds (6.0), blocks (1.26) and field goal percentage (.557). Valanciunas also ranked seventh among rookies averaging 8.9 points in 23.9 minutes.

A native of Utena, Lithuania, Valanciunas became the fifth rookie in franchise history to start on opening

Ross, a six-foot-seven, 197 pound forward, was selected eighth overall in the 2012 draft. Last season he posted averages of 6.4 points, 2.0 rebounds and 17.0 minutes in 73 games. He shot .332 (65-196) from beyond the arc and finished fifth among rookies in made three-

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Cards double down on Red Sox to even World Series

with an RBI single.

Wacha improved to 4-0 this

any pitcher, let alone a 22-year-old rookie.

Trevor Rosen-

thal struck out

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month, pretty impressive for

MLB playoffs. St. Louis cleans up defensively and takes advantage of **Boston miscues**

Michael Wacha won again in October and the St. Louis Cardinals got just enough help from Boston, beating the Red Sox 4-2 Thursday night to tie the World Series at 1-all.

lowed Down 2-1 after David Ortiz hit a two-run homer in the sixth, the Cardinals rallied for three runs in the seventh to end Boston's HONDA

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nine-game winning streak in

the World Series that started

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misplays. Catcher Jarrod Salta-

lamacchia let the wide throw

home skip off his glove, then

pitcher Craig Breslow made a

wild toss that wound up in the

Fenway Park seats. Carlos Belt-

Matt Carpenter's tying sacri-



Game 3 is Saturday night at Busch Stadium. Jake Peavy is set to start for Boston against Joe Kelly.

Wacha had already extended his scoreless streak to 18 2/3 innings — a record for a rookie in a single post-season - before Ortiz tagged him in the sixth.

A day after Ortiz homered after nearly hitting a grand slam earlier in an 8-1 romp, Big Papi connected for his fifth home run of this post-season and 17th of his career.

Dustin Pedroia drew a oneout walk and, with the Fenway Park crowd on its feet, Ortiz hit a full-count changeup over the wall in left-centre field edge.

Lackey worked around four hits in slowing the Cardinals. He pitched a day after turning 35 — it was his first Series start since 2002 when, as a rookie for the Angels, he beat Barry Bonds and San Francisco in Game 7.

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NFL

Manning back after injury scare

Fantasy football owners and Denver Broncos fans can rest easy: Peyton Manning is back.

Manning returned to practice Thursday after the Broncos held him out a day earlier because of a minor ankle injury he sustained in Denver's loss at Indianapolis last weekend.

It was his first skipped practice since joining the Broncos 19 months ago, the result of the pounding he took in his homecoming at Indianapolis last weekend along with the coaches' desire to give him a day's rest as the midpoint of the season approaches.

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among the top selections in next summer's NHL draft. "I'd be very surprised if he

wasn't," said Washington Capitals Western scout Terry Richardson. "In my opinion, he's a top 10, top 15 for sure. I don't

able to every Canadian junior

hockey fan, but NHL scouts def-

men winger is expected to be

The 17-year-old Calgary Hit-

initely know his name.

get to see all the kids, of course, actually in Eastern Canada, but this kid's good. He's big. Strong. He's what everybody wants."

Virtanen, a New Westminster, B.C., native who grew up in the Fraser Valley communities of Langley and Abbotsford, is helping his cause this week, as he's a big reason why the Hitmen remain in first place in the WHL's Western Conference.

He has five goals in his last

four games and recorded his first WHL hat trick in a 6-3 win over the Lethbridge Hurricanes on Sunday. With eight goals and four assists in 14 games, he continues to progress from a rookie season in which he generated 16 goals and 18 helpers.

Climbing the rankings. Hitmen winger shooting for big draft year

"My 16-year-old season was pretty good," said Virtanen, who stands six-foot-one and weighs 210 pounds.

'I finished strong. I had a

strong second half of the season. I get drafted this year, so (the draft) is in the back of my mind. It's obviously one of the biggest years of my life.

'So I'm really looking forward to (doing well) this season. It's a huge challenge for me."

Virtanen has not set any specific goals while he attempts to help the Hitmen reach the Memorial Cup, though he's hopeful for a chance to play

for Canada's entry at the world junior tournament during the Christmas holidays. But he is eager to live up to his pre-draft

NHL Central Scouting has listed him as a player to watch, ranking him among only seven WHL A-level skaters. Meanwhile, International Scouting Services has ranked him No. 4 on its list of top 2014 prospects. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Schneider comes up short again in loss to Canucks

Luongo one-ups former teammate.

Vancouver records second straight road win after regulation

Mike Santorelli scored the only goal in the shootout, and the Vancouver Canucks edged the New Jersey Devils 3-2 on Thursday night.

In a matchup of former teammates, Roberto Luongo got the best of Cory Schneider — who used to battle for the starter's spot in Vancouver. Luongo turned aside Travis Zajac, Adam Henrique and Patrik Elias in the tiebreaker to make Santorelli's goal stand up.

The Devils took a 1-0 lead just 5:05 into the game when Andrei Lokotonov found Elias for a shot from the left circle for his third goal.

Ryan Kesler tied it at 6:07 with his fifth goal. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



tenrik Sedin of the Canucks gets tangled up with Devils goalie Cory Schneider in Newark, N.J., on Thursday night. BRUCE BENNETT/GETTY IMAGES

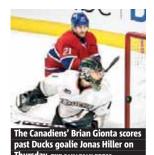
The Price is right. Habs goaltender quiets Ducks

Carey Price made 31 saves in the Montreal Canadiens' 4-1 win over the Anaheim Ducks on Thursday night.

Tomas Plekanec, Michael Bournival, Brian Gionta and Rene Bourque also scored for Montreal (6-4-0).

Patrick Maroon scored for Anaheim (7-3-0).

The Habs were still without of Max Pacioretty, Brandon Prust and Daniel Briere due to injuries. THE CANADIAN PRESS



Chicago-Tampa Bay

St. Louis strikes in OT for Lightning

Martin St. Louis scored 1:16 into overtime and the Tampa Bay Lightning beat the Chicago Blackhawks 6-5 on Thursday night.

Steven Štamkos scored a tiebreaking power-play goal as Tampa Bay went up 5-4 at 17:31 of the third.

Chicago's Jonathan Toews was credited a gametying goal with 1:49 left in the period.

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Fallen Leaf

Coach Carlyle angered by Lupul injury

Just when David Clarkson and Frazer McLaren are due to return, out goes Joffrey

And that's left Leafs coach Randy Carlyle seeth-

Lupul took a shot off his foot and left practice early Thursday for X-rays. The same thing happened to Nikolai Kulemin, who only just started skating after having lost a piece of bone due to a hard shot in practice on Oct. 4.

The new equipment that's available to players, to shot blockers, is available to all our players," said Carlyle, gritting his teeth. "There is a little bit of extra frustration, whatever word you want to use, to get an injury through practice where the protective equipment that's made available to the player they don't want to wear.'

Carlyle says the team

encourages all players to wear the protective gear on

"We've addressed it once. Everybody has been fitted; there are a couple of players that refuse to wear them.

Earlier Thursday, Carlyle announced that rookie defenceman Morgan Rielly, all of 19 years old, had made the team. Or, more to the point, the team was going to keep him past the nine-game tryout teenagers get without burning the first year of their three-year entry-level contract.

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NHL

EASTERN CONFERENCE

ATLANTIC DIVISION

	GP	VV	L	UL	GF	GΑ	ŀ
Boston	9	7	2	0	27	13	1
Toronto	10	7	3	0	34	24	1
Detroit	11	6	4	1	25	30	1
Tampa Bay	9	6	3	0	32	26	1
Montreal	10	6	4	0	33	20	1
Ottawa	9	4	3	2	27	25	1
Florida	10	3	6	1	22	35	
Buffalo	11	1	9	1	15	33	

METROPOLITAN DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OL	GF	GΑ	
Pittsburgh	9	7	2	0	31	20	
Carolina	10	4	3	3	23	29	
NY Islanders	9	3	3	3	29	28	
Columbus	9	4	5	0	23	23	
Washington	9	4	5	0	26	29	
New Jersey	10	1	5	4	20	33	
NY Rangers	8	2	6	0	12	31	
Philadelphia	9	2	7	0	13	25	

Thursday's results

Boston 2 San Jose 1 Vancouver 3 New Jersey 2 (SO) Philadelphia 2 NY Rangers 1 Montreal 4 Anaheim 1 Tampa Bay 6 Chicago 5 (OT) Minnesota 3 Carolina 1 Nashville 3 Winnipeg 2 (OT) Dallas 5 Calgary 1 Washington at Edmonton Phoenix at Los Angeles Wednesday's results Ottawa 6 Detroit 1

Boston 5 Buffalo 2

Toronto at Columbus, 7 p.m

WESTERN CONFERENCE

CENTRAL DIVISION

	GP	W	L	0L	GF	GΑ	Pt
Colorado	9	8	1	0	28	12	16
Chicago	10	6	1	3	31	27	15
Nashville	11	6	4	1	22	26	13
Minnesota	11	5	3	3	24	23	13
St. Louis	7	5	1	1	27	19	11
Winnipeg	11	4	5	2	28	33	10
Dallas	9	4	5	0	25	29	8

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	GP	W	L	0L	GF	GΑ	Pt				
San Jose	10	8	1	1	41	18	17				
Vancouver	12	7	4	1	35	35	15				
Anaheim	10	7	3	0	33	27	14				
Phoenix	10	6	2	2	31	28	14				
Los Angeles	10	6	4	0	26	25	12				
Calgary	10	4	4	2	29	37	10				
Edmonton	10	3	6	1	30	39	7				
Note: Two points for a win, one point for											

overtime loss.

NY Islanders at Pittsburgh, 7 p.m. Anaheim at Ottawa, 7:30 p.m. Buffalo at Florida, 7:30 p.m. Vancouver at St. Louis, 8 p.m. Carolina at Colorado, 9 p.m.

Saturday's games

Edmonton at Phoenix, 3 p.m. San Jose at Montreal, 7 p.m. New Jersey at Boston, 7 p.m. NY Rangers at Detroit, 7 p.m. Pittsburgh at Toronto, 7 p.m. Buffalo at Tampa Bay, 7 p.m. Philadelphia at NY Islanders, 7 p.m. Winnipeg at Dallas, 7 p.m. Minnesota at Chicago, 8 p.m. St. Louis at Nashville, 8 n.m. Washington at Calgary, 10 p.m

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ST. LOUIS VS. BOSTON

(Series tied 1-1) Thursday's result

St. Louis 4 Boston 2 Wednesday's result Boston 8 St. Louis 1

Saturday's game — All times Ea Boston at St. Louis 8:07 p.m.

Sunday's game Boston at St. Louis 8:15 p.m. Monday, Oct. 28

x-Boston at St. Louis 8:07 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 30

x-St. Louis at Boston 8:07 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 31 x-St. Louis at Boston 8:07 p.m.

CFL **WEEK 18**

	GP	W	L	Т	PF	PA	E
x-Toronto	17	11	6	0	487	435	2
x-Hamilton	16	8	8	0	389	437	1
x-Montreal	16	7	9	0	412	424	1
Winnipeg	17	3	14	0	354	548	

	GP	W	L	Т	PF	PA	P
x-Calgary	16	13	3	0	513	362	26
x-Saskatchew	an16	11	5	0	468	339	22
x-B.C.	16	9	7	0	435	425	18
x-Edmonton	16	3	13	0	362	450	(

Thursday, October 24 Toronto 36 Winnipeg 21

Friday's game — All Times Eastern Edmonton at B.C., 10 p.m. Saturday's games Montreal at Hamilton, 1 p.m. Saskatchewan at Calgary, 7 p.m.

NFL

WEEK 8

Thursday's result
Carolina 31 Tampa Bay 13
Sunday's games game — All times Eastern
San Francisco at Jacksonville, 1 p.m.
Buffalo at New Orleans, 1 p.m.

Cleveland at Kansas City, 1 p.m Dallas at Detroit, 1 p.m. Miami at New England, 1 p.m. N Y Giants at Philadelphia, 1 p.m. Pittsburgh at Oakland, 4:05 p.m. N.Y. Jets at Cincinnati, 4:05 p.m. Washington at Denver, 4:25 p.m. Atlanta at Arizona, 4:25 p.m. Green Bay at Minnesota, 8:30 p.m.

Monday's game Seattle at St. Louis, 8:40 p.m

Wednesday's result Salt Lake 2 Chivas USA 1 Saturday's games Kansas City at Philadelphia, 3 p.m. Montreal at Toronto, 4 p.m. Dallas at San Jose, 5:30 p.m. Portland at Chivas USA, 10:30 p.m.

Portland at Churks USA, 10:30 p.m Sunday's games Houston at D.C., 1:30 p.m. New England at Columbus, 4 p.m. Chicago at New York, 5 p.m. Colorado at Vancouver, 8 p.m. Los Angeles at Seattle, 9 p.m.

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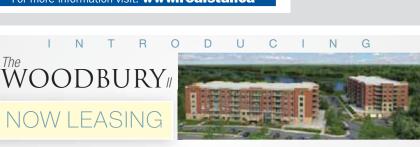
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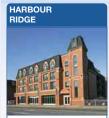


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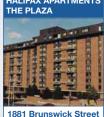
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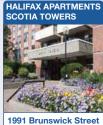
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BY KELLY ANN BUCHANAN

T Aries March 21 - April 20

You may wish that everything in your life was perfect but if it was, you would soon grow bored. With that in mind, don't get angry if little things go wrong today.

Taurus

April 21 - May 21 If you have something

important to say, say it now if you want your words to have impact. However, if you're critical of someone, they might be critical of you too.

∐ Gemini May 22 - June 21

If you know what you want today, you will find a way to get it, even though you may have no idea how to get from here to there. Neptune, planet of imagination, will guide your thoughts and your footsteps.

9 Cancer June 22 - July 23

Give yourself a break today, not least because the Sun in your fellow Water sign of Scorpio is going to bring remarkable new opportunities your way. The more rest you get now, the more you will accomplish later.

$\mathbf{\Omega}$ Leo July 24 - Aug. 23

The most important thing now is that you keep your enthusiasm level high. The planets warn that you may be tempted to take life a bit too easy and if you do then your plans will come to nothing.

W Virgo Aug. 24 - Sept. 23

At times throughout the day you will wonder if you can believe what you see and hear. But, it's true: some people are behaving so badly you must have nothing to do with them.

△ Libra Sept. 24 - Oct. 23

You will only have time to act today. That applies especially to work and financial matters where you must follow your instincts — even if what they tell you seems strange.

M Scorpio

Oct. 24 - Nov. 22

Resist the urge to look back when you should be looking forward. The Sun in your sign means you can start anew, no matter how many issues are nagging at you from the past.

₹ Sagittarius Nov. 23 - Dec. 21

You may be concerned that you did not work hard enough to iron out a relationship problem and, yes, maybe that is true, but it's too late now. The chance will come again when the time is right. Stop worrying.

17 Capricorn Dec. 22 - Jan. 20

Why do people seem to think and speak and act in slow motion? Whatever the reason, you have to live in the same world, so try not to get uptight. Think of your blood pressure.

Jan. 21 - Feb. 19

Your mind may be alive with possibilities but those around you seem dead to your good ideas. You don't need their help or approval. You can get where you need to be on your own.

H Pisces Feb. 20 - March 20

OK, so you made a mistake. The important question is: what did you learn from it? One thing, for sure, is that failure isn't as painful as you thought it would be. Pick yourself up, brush yourself of and keep going. SALLY BROMPTON

Crossword: Canada Across and Down

Across

- the land 6. Gomer Pyle's mil. division 10. Wild swine
- 14. Brenda , Reporter (Classic comic strip)
- 15. Arctic seabird 16. Majestic
- 17. Bing Crosby/Bob Hope comedy, "Road
- " (1947) 18. Catherine (Henry VIII's sixth/last wife)
- 19. Moon goddess 20. 'Spiders from Mars' fellow in 1970s
- music: 2 wds. 23. Peer Gynt's mother
- 24. Homer Simpson's outbursts!
- 25. The Queen, less formally
- 28. "Be quiet!" ...in a library, variantly 31. Paul Gauguin's
- painting retreat 35. "Survivor" strategies
- 38. Inflexibility-afterdeath, __ mortis
- 39. __ race 40. Important industry
- 42. Previously, poetically
- 43. Hidden away loot 45. Leonard Cohen's "First We Take
- 47. Birkin bag com-

- 35 39 40 54 52 53
- pany 49. Music style 50. South Dakota dam
- 51. To, archaically 53. Apiece 55. "Hair" snippet:
- "They'll be when they see me in my toga...'
- 61. Town, colloquially
- 62. Cabbage: French 63. Provide with
- weapons 65. Seed's protector
- 66. WKRP worker 67. Mick Jagger, for
- one 68. Not polite 69. Coastal birds [var.
- 70. Empty apartment

sign: 2 wds. **Down**

- 1. Items-on-paper, e.g.
- (Totality) 3. World ____, 1914 to 1918
- 4. Paper crafting 5. Some amphibians
- 6. Mail org. in The States
- 7. Character in Paula Abdul's "Opposites
- Attract" video, MC Kat
- 8. Skincare company 9. Bugs Bunny's veggie
- 10. Aykroyd's "The Blues Brothers" (1980) co-headliner 11. Musical compos-

- ition 12. "If it broke..."
- 13. Electronics co.
- 21. Positive/negative
- 22. "__ & Gre 25. Wetland & Greg
- 26. Off to start
- (Held up)
- 27. Chapel area
- 29. Cleanser's soapy taraet
- 30. "Don't you love she's walking
- out the door..." The Doors 32. "Can __ Witness"
- by Marvin Gaye: 3 wds.
- 33. Text in Judaism
- 34. Ms. Ryan (Granny on "The Beverly
- Hillbillies") 36. The Parthenon
- goddess 37. Kitchen part
- 41. Form 44. Import illegally
- 46. It used to be called York
- 48. Groucho Marx fa-
- cial feature, hip-style
- 52. Additional
- 54. Discharge
- 55. Specialist 56. Dry
- 57. Of two minds
- 58. Areas of action
- 59. British prison 60. River in Nor-
- mandy
- 61. Tavern 64. Convened

How to play

sp.]

Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved.

Yesterday's Sudoku

3	1	2	4	7	9	6	5	8
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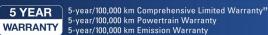




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